

Temple Bar & Wellington Quay

A practical EirStay guide to eating, everyday essentials and getting around.

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MAKE YOURSELF AT HOME

Settle in first.

Once you've dropped your bags, take a walk and get to know the neighbourhood. Find a spot for coffee, pick up a few things for breakfast and see what's nearby. This guide will help you choose where to eat and what to do during your stay, whether you have a full day to explore or just a couple of hours. Leave a little time for whatever catches your eye along the way.

FOOD & COFFEE

Good places to start

Availability and hours can change. The links below go directly to each operator; use Directions for a route.

01 Food

20-21 TEMPLE BAR,
DUBLIN 2, D02 ET66

Gallagher's Boxty House

A Temple Bar family restaurant with menus and booking information.

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28E ESSEX STREET,
TEMPLE BAR, DUBLIN 2,
D02 XH60

The Norseman

A Temple Bar pub with a current dining page and traditional Irish dishes.

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LOCAL · BEDFORD ROW
3-4 BEDFORD ROW, TEMPLE
BAR, DUBLIN 2, D02 HD77

Banyi Japanese Dining

A Japanese restaurant tucked just off Temple Bar's main lane, offering sushi, sashimi, bento and cooked dishes. It is a useful central option for lunch or dinner that is not based around pub food.

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LOCAL · TEMPLE BAR
18-19 TEMPLE BAR,
DUBLIN 2, D02 WD63

Elephant & Castle Temple Bar

A casual all-day restaurant in the centre of Temple Bar, known for brunch-style plates, burgers and chicken wings. Its broad menu and reservations make it a straightforward option for mixed groups.

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LOCAL EDGE · DAME STREET
53 DAME STREET, DUBLIN 2,
D02 VX23

Bunsen Dame Street

A compact burger restaurant on Dame Street at the edge of Temple Bar, with a deliberately short menu. It is useful for a quick, uncomplicated sit-down meal rather than a long evening reservation.

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LOCAL · CROW STREET
7 CROW STREET, TEMPLE
BAR, DUBLIN 2, D02 YT38

Rosa Madre

An Italian seafood restaurant on Crow Street with pasta, fish and a substantial wine list. It is a more occasion-led Temple Bar dinner choice, so consult the restaurant's current menu and booking page.

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10 CROW STREET, TEMPLE
BAR, DUBLIN 2, D02 DC94

The Cappuccino Bar

An Irish coffee shop and
restaurant in Temple Bar.

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TEMPLE BAR, DUBLIN (THE
OPERATOR IDENTIFIES THE
BRICKS-AND-MORTAR
VENUE)

CocoBrew

A Temple Bar café and
coffee roaster; use the
operator page for current
venue details.

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LOCAL · ESSEX STREET
EAST
25 ESSEX STREET EAST,
TEMPLE BAR, DUBLIN 2,
D02 W560

Brick Alley Café

An independent café on
Essex Street East serving
coffee, hot chocolate and
light food. It is a convenient
daytime pause within
Temple Bar itself, especially
when you want something
quieter than a pub.

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WELLNESS & FITNESS

Move at your own pace

Paid facilities are not included in your stay. Check
membership, visitor access, fees and class availability
directly.

COW'S LANE, TEMPLE BAR,
DUBLIN

Temple Bar Yoga

A Cow's Lane yoga studio;
check classes, access and
fees.

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NEARBY · TOWNSEND
STREET
TOWNSEND STREET, DUBLIN
2, D02 HK13

Markievicz Sports and Fitness Centre

A Dublin City Council leisure
centre with a swimming
pool, gym and fitness
facilities. It is east of Temple
Bar near Tara Street, so
check public-session
access and the current
timetable before going.

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See the area

Book ahead where an operator requests it. Use Directions to orient yourself from the apartment.

TRINITY COLLEGE DUBLIN,
COLLEGE GREEN, DUBLIN 2

Book of Kells Experience — Trinity College

A Trinity visitor experience with official ticket information.

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DAME STREET, DUBLIN 2

Dublin Castle

A historic visitor site with current access and ticket information.

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LOCAL · EUSTACE STREET
6 EUSTACE STREET,
TEMPLE BAR, DUBLIN 2,
D02 PD85

Irish Film Institute

Ireland's national cultural institution for film has cinemas, a film shop and café bar on Eustace Street. It is a strong rainy-day option; check the live programme for new releases, classics, festivals and special screenings.

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LOCAL · MEETING HOUSE
SQUARE
MEETING HOUSE SQUARE,
TEMPLE BAR, DUBLIN 2,
D02 X406

Photo Museum Ireland

A dedicated photography museum in Meeting House Square with changing exhibitions, talks and a specialist bookshop. It is an easy cultural stop to combine with the market or nearby cafés.

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LOCAL · TEMPLE BAR
5-9 TEMPLE BAR, DUBLIN
2, D02 AC84

Temple Bar Gallery + Studios

A contemporary art gallery and artists' studio organisation in the heart of the quarter. Exhibitions change regularly, so it rewards a quick programme check and offers a calmer cultural contrast to the surrounding pubs.

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LOCAL EDGE · DAME
STREET
DAME STREET, DUBLIN 2,
D02 NP93

Dublin City Hall

The domed civic building at the western end of Dame Street is worth stepping into for its architecture and city-history displays when accessible. Civic events can affect public access, so check before a dedicated visit.

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LOCAL · EXCHANGE STREET
LOWER
6-7 EXCHANGE STREET
LOWER, TEMPLE BAR,
DUBLIN 8, D08 EH67

Smock Alley Theatre

A historic theatre beside Temple Bar presenting plays, comedy and other live performances. Its programme offers a useful evening alternative to pub entertainment, with tickets and accessibility details available from the theatre.

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AFTER-HOURS, AT YOUR PACE

Nightlife

Check each venue's official page for current opening information, booking or entry requirements before setting out. A listing is not a promise of a table, walk-in access or a particular service.

03 Bars & pubs

LOCAL · TEMPLE BAR
47-48 TEMPLE BAR,
DUBLIN 2

The Temple Bar Pub

A landmark traditional pub with current food and drinks menus; use the operator page rather than assume a reservation policy or service availability.

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LOCAL · CROWN ALLEY,
TEMPLE BAR
3 CROWN ALLEY, TEMPLE
BAR, DUBLIN 2, D02 CX67

The Old Storehouse

A traditional Irish bar with several distinct bar spaces, live-music positioning, food and drinks service.

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LOCAL · FLEET STREET
21 FLEET STREET, TEMPLE
BAR, DUBLIN 2, D02 H950

The Palace Bar

A compact Victorian pub on Fleet Street known for Irish whiskey and traditional pub atmosphere. It is a good local choice for a drink in a historic interior, though space can be tight at busy times.

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LOCAL EDGE · PARLIAMENT
STREET
16-18 PARLIAMENT
STREET, DUBLIN 2, D02
VR94

Porterhouse Temple Bar

A multi-level brewpub on Parliament Street with house beers, guest taps and food. It is useful for visitors who want a wider beer selection at Temple Bar's western edge rather than the main tourist pub strip.

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LOCAL · CROWN ALLEY
15 CROWN ALLEY, TEMPLE
BAR, DUBLIN 2, D02 E229

Vintage Cocktail Club

A reservation-led cocktail bar hidden behind an unmarked Crown Alley doorway, with several intimate rooms and a rooftop area. It suits a planned cocktail evening more than a spontaneous pint.

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LOCAL · COW'S LANE,
TEMPLE BAR
5 COW'S LANE, TEMPLE
BAR, DUBLIN 8, D08 DP11

Piglet Wine Bar

A compact Temple Bar wine bar and restaurant built around seasonal small plates and a curated wine list; a quieter wine-led alternative to the main strip.

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PLAN THE WAY BACK

Check the current route before you go

Use the official planner from your exact apartment address or Eircode, and check live options before leaving. Do not assume the last connection or nearest stop.

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EVERYDAY

Groceries

Use Directions and check the linked branch for current opening hours and services.

FLEET STREET, DUBLIN,
D02 NX25

Tesco Temple Bar Express — Fleet Street

A named Tesco Express branch for everyday groceries and household basics; the dynamic locator should be rechecked for live details.

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LOCAL EDGE · DAME STREET
19-20 DAME STREET,
DUBLIN 2, D02 E267

SPAR Dame Street

A central convenience shop for drinks, snacks, toiletries and forgotten basics, just beyond Temple Bar's southern edge. It is best for a small top-up rather than a broad supermarket shop.

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NEARBY · EXCHEQUER STREET
11-17 EXCHEQUER STREET,
DUBLIN 2, D02 RY63

Fallon & Byrne Food Hall

An adjoining-neighbourhood food hall with fresh produce, bakery goods, pantry staples, cheese and wine. It is a worthwhile choice for better ingredients or a picnic shop, rather than just emergency convenience items.

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LOCAL · MEETING HOUSE SQUARE
MEETING HOUSE SQUARE,
TEMPLE BAR, DUBLIN 2

Temple Bar Food Market

A market in Meeting House Square with independent food stalls and produce. It is an enjoyable local grocery browse, but it runs on selected market days rather than functioning as an everyday supermarket.

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TRAVEL WITHOUT GUESSWORK

Getting around

Start with the exact apartment address or Eircode from your booking, not an assumed nearest stop.

USE THE EIRCODE IN YOUR
BOOKING DETAILS

Plan from your exact apartment

Enter your apartment address or Eircode in the official planner, then check the current stops, routes and live departures for the time you travel. Do not rely on a generic neighbourhood pin.

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DUBLIN TRAM NETWORK

Luas tram

Luas is Dublin's tram. Check the official map, service updates and the stop that suits your exact apartment and destination.

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COASTAL RAIL AND
NATIONAL RAIL

DART and Irish Rail

The DART is the coastal rail service. Use Irish Rail for current DART and rail timetables, stations and service notices.

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AIRPORT TRAVEL

Airport coach

Check current Aircoach routes, stops and fares for your exact departure point; routes and stops can change.

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USEFUL, JUST IN CASE

First-time essentials

Simple checks for plugs, phone charging, medicines and emergencies.

IRELAND · TYPE G

First-time electricity basics

Ireland uses Type G: three rectangular-pin blades, 230 V and 50 Hz. A plug adaptor changes pin shape only; it does not convert voltage or frequency.

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MATCH THE ITEM TO THE PROBLEM

Adapter, charger or cable?

An adapter changes plug shape. A charger is the power brick. A USB-C or Lightning cable is the lead: choose the connector that matches your phone. Prefer charger input marked 100–240 V~ (50/60 Hz); do not use a 110/120 V-only device on Irish mains without suitable conversion.

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UNIT 13–15 JERVIS SHOPPING CENTRE, DUBLIN, D01 E7W2

Currys Jervis · adapters, chargers and cables

City-centre guests: Currys Jervis is the central option. No Temple Bar branch was verified; check the item before travelling and select Jervis collection where available. Currys officially lists travel adapters, phone chargers and USB cables/adaptors; use the three category links below. A category or collection page does not guarantee branch shelf stock, so check online collection/stock or phone before making a special trip.

ADAPTERS CATEGORY

CHARGERS CATEGORY

USB CABLES CATEGORY

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TEMPLE BAR & WELLINGTON
QUAY, DUBLIN

Pharmacy finder

Find a pharmacy around Temple Bar & Wellington Quay; this is a search, not a claimed branch. Check the pharmacist and opening hours directly before you go.

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IRELAND

Emergency services

In an emergency call 112 or 999.

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LOCAL · ESSEX STREET
EAST
21 ESSEX STREET EAST,
TEMPLE BAR, DUBLIN 2,
D02 YK09

Temple Bar Pharmacy

The quarter's named independent pharmacy for prescriptions, over-the-counter medicines, skincare and pharmacist help. It is directly within Temple Bar, making it the first practical option before looking farther into the city centre.

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NEARBY · SAINT ANDREW
STREET
19-24 SAINT ANDREW
STREET, DUBLIN 2, D02
C966

Saint Andrew Street Post Office

The nearest named An Post counter for stamps, letters, parcels and other postal services, just beyond Temple Bar toward Grafton Street. Check the official branch page for the service you need.

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